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DECISION ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed September 14, 2007, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-cited application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed March 12, 2007, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No extensions of time were obtained within the allowable period. Accordingly, the application became abandoned on June 13, 2007.

The amendment filed September 14, 2007, is noted and made of record.

The address as cited on the petition differs from the address of record. Although a courtesy copy of this decision is being mailed to the address as cited on the petition, all future correspondence will be mailed solely to the address of record until appropriate written instructions to the contrary are received.

The request for an extension of time within the third month is noted, but cannot be granted as the request was made outside the maximum statutory period for reply. Deposit account 21-0100 will refunded \$1020.00 in due course.

The application is being forwarded to Technology Center 2800, GAU 2831 for further processing.

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